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PATENT

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In re application of: Can Ozbal

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Examiner: not yet assigned

For: Concentric Tube Microplate Autosample Interface

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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS
—NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed June 22, 2004.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH

II. The declaration or oath that was filed was determined to be defective. A new original oath or declaration is attached.

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SMALL ENTITY STATUS

III. An assertion that this filing is by a small entity was filed on April 8, 2004 (original).

COMPLETION FEES

IV.

1. Filing Fee

Original patent application (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))	\$385.00
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2. Fee for Claims

Each claim in excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	\$90.00
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3. Surcharge Fees

Late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e))	\$65.00
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Total Completion Fees	\$540.00
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EXTENSION OF TIME

V. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

VI. The total fee due is:

Completion fees	\$540.00
Extension fee (if any)	\$0.00
Total Fee Due	\$540.00

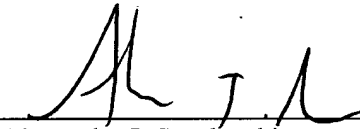
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VII. Attached is a check in the amount of \$540.00.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4972.

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CONTINUATION, OR C-I-P)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is for an original application.

INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION

Concentric Tube Microplate Autosample Interface

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

The specification was filed on April 8, 2004, and assigned U.S. Serial No. 10/821,124

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56, and which is material to the examination of this application, namely, information where there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable Examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent.

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